

New Graduate Course Proposal

Course Title

Course Title: * Essential Linguistics for Educators

Proposed Banner Abbreviation: * Essential Linguistics Educ

Banner limit of 30 characters, including punctuation, spaces, and special characters.

Department/Committee Information

The main contact person for the Graduate Curriculum Committee should fill out this form.

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Course Information

Course Description

This course takes a practical approach to the study of linguistics and English as a new language with implications for teaching ESL, reading, writing, spelling, phonics, and grammar in monolingual or multilingual contexts. The basic nature of language, first language acquisition, language variation, language change, and the relations of language to society and culture are explored. The course focuses on the development of linguistic foundational knowledge elements such as phonology, morphology, syntax, and pragmatics that informs planning for teaching first or second language. Structural and semantic differences between the student's first and English as a new language are examined and used in planning for learning.

Rationale and expected outcomes of offering the Course

This is course 1 of 6 for the new proposed ESL certificate program. It will also be available to teachers/grad students as an elective or professional development.

Number of Credits: * 3

Discipline Prefix or Prefixes: * EDUC

Brief rationale if more than one prefix:

Level of Course: * 7000

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9000

Brief rationale for level choice::

First set of courses in ESL certificate program

The course will be:
☐ Requirement
☒ Elective

Elective or Requirement Note/Special:

Is there a similar undergraduate course? * 7000

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9000

Does this course affect offerings in any other department or program? * 7000

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9000

Course Enrollment

Expected Average Enrollment: * 15-20

This course is a replacement for: Course # / Name

Has the course been offered previously as a "Topics" course? * ☒ Yes
☐ No

How often / when was it offered as a Topics course?
Once in summer 2018

Is this an Extended Campus Course? * ☐ Yes
☒ No

Which semester will this course be offered for the first time?: * summer 2022

How often thereafter to be offered?:
Every summer

Course Requirements

Prerequisite course(s) if any:

Additional Requirements

Laboratory Hours:

Fieldwork Hours:

Pre-Practicum Hours:

Practicum Hours:

Other Requirements (specify):

Syllabus Upload

New Course Syllabus Upload: Syllabus Linguistics for Educators.pdf

Signatures

Click on the **Submit Form** button at the bottom of the page after you have signed the form.
You should receive an email confirmation that your signature has been completed.

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Lynn D. Agostino
Requester Signature

04/19/2021
Date

Department Chair Approval

Date

Academic Dean Signature

Date

SGOCE Dean Signature

Date

Approval of the Graduate Council

Date

Approval of the President

Date

Notification

Reviewed by the Registrar: _____

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